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WASHINGTON.

Bill Abolishing the Rank of Admiral and Vice Admiral Passed in the House.

Porter's Nomination Under Consideration in the Senate.

Bill Passed in the House to Repeal the Tenure-of-Office Acts.

Resolutions Relative to the San Domingo Business Presented in Both Houses.

The First Colored Representative Takes His Seat in the House.

Senator Drake Confirmed as Chief Justice of the Court of Claims.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—The House had a lively time to-day over Logan's bill abolishing the rank of Admiral and Vice Admiral. ...

FORTY-FIRST CONGRESS.

SENATE.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.

THE FIRST COLORED REPRESENTATIVE.

The first colored Representative was sworn in and took his seat to-day. This is the Hon. Joseph H. Rainey, successor to Whittemore, from the First District of South Carolina. He is 38 years of age, and was born in Georgia. ...

DRAKE'S NOMINATION.

There has been a good deal of severe comment to-day among both Senators and members upon the decision of Mr. Drake to relinquish his representation ...

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

FOREIGN.

The Franco-German Struggle.

The Duke of Mecklenburg Reports Another Victory Over the Army of the Loire.

Movements of the German Armies South of Paris.

Reported Negotiations for the Cession of Luxembourg to Germany.

THE FRANCO-GERMAN WAR.

LONDON, Dec. 12.—A despatch from Tours reports that there is good authority for believing that Gambetta has applied to the Prussians for an armistice to allow time for the election of the National Assembly. ...

GREAT BRITAIN.

LUXEMBOURG.

SWITZERLAND.

ITALY.

NATIONAL BOARD OF TRADE.

THE WEST.

The Utah Silver Mines—Encouraging Report from the Greeley Colony.

Trouble in the United States Court-House at Salt Lake.

OHIO.

Arguments in the Hensilinger Murder Case, at Lima.

MICHIGAN.

Important Railroad Consolidation—One Murder and Two Suicides.

IOWA.

Strike of Bridge Laborers at Council Bluffs—Obituary.

ILLINOIS.

MISSOURI.

Governor-Elect Brown on the Labor Question.

NEW YORK.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

GOLD.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—The gold market exhibited continued dullness. ...

GOVERNMENTS.

STOCKS.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

WHEAT.

MINNESOTA.

Railroad Project—Work Suspended on the St. Anthony Falls Improvement.

THE ATLANTIC CABLE.

Efforts to Repair the Broken Cable.

ST. JOHNS, N. F., Dec. 12.—The Atlantic Cable Company ...

Telegraph Summary.

New Orleans Market.

METEOROLOGICAL.

War Department Weather Report.

PHYSICIAN OF THE COUNTY INSANE ASYLUM.

THOUSAND DOLLAR SUPPER.

The Rev. Horace Cook.

MARRIED.

DIED.

HOLIDAY GOODS.

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Will offer on Tuesday, Dec. 13, a handsome assortment of CHILDREN'S SUITS, at $4.00, to close. Very great bargains.

STATE & WASHINGTON-STS.

LAKE NAVIGATION.

FOR LAKE SUPERIOR, VIA ESCANABA. LAST TRIP OF THE SEASON.

The Staunch, Iron-Clad Propeller TRUESDELL

Thursday Evening, December 14, At 7 o'clock. The Propeller ST. JOSEPH

REMOVALS.

REMOVAL.

THOS. C. CLARK & CO., Railroad and Machinists' Supplies, have removed from 42 State-st., to 50 & 52 Madison-st.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETINGS.

THE ANNUAL MEETING

E. HAYNARD, Cashier.

NOTICE.

REAL ESTATE.

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NEW PUBLICATIONS.

OUT TO-DAY.

The Aldine, for December,

JAMES SUTTON & CO., Publishers.

VICK'S FLORAL GUIDE For 1871.

COLORED PLATES.

JAMES VICK, Rochester, N. Y.

GENERAL NOTICES.

TO ENTERPRISING MEN.

CAUTION.

OCEAN STEAMERS.

ANCHOR LINE.

KANSAS COLONY.

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Sugar-Cured Hams, Dried Beef, and Breakfast Bacon.

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What better present can you make your WIFE, DAUGHTER, or SISTER, than a first-class SEWING MACHINE.

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ROYAL HAVANA LOTTERY.

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For the Third or Last Division OF THE CANADA AIR-LINE FROM SIMCOE TO CANFIELD, THIRTY MILES.

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SCALES.

FOREST'S SCALES

BOILERS.

The Chicago Tribune.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1870.

FREE NAVIGATION OF THE ST. LAWRENCE.

Closely connected with the fishery question in the President's message and in the discussions of the press, is that of the free navigation of the St. Lawrence.

THE COAL MINERS' STRIKE.

REPUBLICANISM IN ENGLAND.

THE NORTHWEST.

PERSONAL.

KANSAS.

The Butler County Tragedies.

Frightful Demoralization on the Border.

Indiscriminate Shooting and Hanging.

Noted Plainsmen Shot and Hung.

[FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.]

LAWRENCE, Dec. 8.

Butler County, in the southwestern portion of this State, has recently witnessed a series of tragedies, not unfrequent in the history of border communities, and incident to the settlement of new countries. Some of the characters are well-known plainsmen, around whose personal history gather many of the most startling incidents connected with the wild life of the border.

The plainsman is a character. He is not generic. He is the connecting link between barbarism and civilization.

THE RECENT SORTIES.

Intended Offensive Movement of the Prussians—Their Plans Deranged by the French Attack on Villiers—Desperate Valor of the Saxons—The French Driven Back—What was Gained by the Besieged.

BRIGNOLI'S RAILROAD RIDE.

THE RAMSEY-ERIE WAR.

Decision of the New York Supreme Court.

M'DONALD CREEK.

GRANT FIGHTING SUMNER.

THE PAPAL PROTEST.

BRONZE AND FANCY GOODS.

TIFFANY & CO

UNION SQUARE,

NEW YORK.

Bronze Mantel and Clock Sets of Three and Five Pieces,

NEW STYLES.

LOUIS XIV. BRONZE & PORPHYRY.

Enameled Bleu Turquis, Gilt and Enamel,

AND OXYDIZED

SILVER BRONZE.

NEW GROUPS AND STATUETTES, BIRDS AND ANIMALS.

LIBRARY SETS, INKSTANDS, CANDLESTICKS,

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And a Variety of Articles and Figures in Bronze, Oxyde, and Cloisonne Enamel.

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The most lasting, agreeable, and refreshing of all perfumes, for use on the Handkerchief, at the Toilet, and in the Bath. For sale by all Druggists and Perfumers.

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PIUS PP. IX.

ELECTION OF A KING.

STORM SIGNALS.

General A. J. Myer, Chief Signal Officer of the army, has submitted his annual report to the Secretary of War. We take from it the following extracts:

SILVER MINING.

RAILROAD ACCIDENT.

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

MONETARY.

MONDAY EVENING, Dec. 12.

COMMERCIAL.

MONDAY EVENING, Dec. 12.

An exchange says:

LATER.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

CHICAGO DAILY MARKET.

MONDAY EVENING, Dec. 12.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Foreign Markets.

The Live Stock Markets.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

Port of Chicago.

ARRIVED.

CLEARED.

Disasters.

MEDICAL CARDS.

Dr. Bassett.

Private Consultations.

Dr. Raphael.

Avoid Quacks.

A Gentleman

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Batchelor's Hair Dye.

GENERAL NOTICES.

TIME-TABLE.

Arrival and Departure of Trains.

WINTER ARRANGEMENT.

CROSBY VS. STOREY.

The Long-Expected Libel Suit Begun in the United States Circuit Court.

The Complainant Wants $50,000 Damages.

THE THRONES OF EUROPE.

Lecture on the Sovereigns of Europe by Justin McCarthy.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

Proceedings of the Sixth Day's Session.

State's Attorney's Fees—Election Expenses—Expunging a Resolution.

THE CITY IN BRIEF.

THE LAW COURTS.

Miscellaneous Business Yesterday.

United States District Court.

United States Circuit Court.

Circuit Court.

Superior Court.

Criminal Court.

The Police Courts.

The Steck Piano.

Cod Liver Oil.

THE COMMON COUNCIL.

The Standing Committees—Gas Mains Ordered.

Cattle Ordinance—Interest on Deposits—Ordinances Offered.

AMUSEMENTS.

BASE BALL.

REAL ESTATE.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

AUCTION SALES.

BY A. GOLDSMID & CO.

PAWNBROKER'S SALE.

Forfeited Pledges.

REGULAR WEDNESDAY SALE

ALFRED DAY & CO.,
145 South Clark-st.

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MAN AND WIFE.

DEARBORN THEATRE.

MANNING'S MINSTRELS.

Great Bill of Novelties.

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ARCADE HALL.

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OF

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FROM

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On Monday and Tuesday, Dec. 12 and 13, at 9½ a. m., and 2 p. m., at Wm. A. Butters & Co.'s Auction Rooms, 5, 7, 9, and 11 Randolph-st.

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SPECIAL SALE OF

HARNESS, SADDLES,

Horse Clothing,
Bear and Wolf Robes,
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Stable Furnishings, &c.,

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Wednesday, Dec. 14,

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Thursday, Dec. 15,

DRY GOODS,

Ready-Made Clothing,
Cloths, Cassimeres, Beavers,
Shirts and Drawers, Hosiery,
Linens, Hats, Gloves, Gauntlets,
Boots, Shoes, Balmorals, &c.,

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On Thursday, Dec. 15, at 9 1-2 a. m.,

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English and American

Miscellaneous Books

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The Trade are invited. Sale positive.

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Commencing Tuesday, Dec. 20, 1870.

Christina Nilsson!

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Monday Eve'g, Dec. 26, 1870,

At FARWELL HALL.

The GRAND OPERA ORCHESTRA

Under the direction of MAX MARETZEK.

FARWELL HALL.

BEETHOVEN CENTENNIAL FESTIVAL

Two Grand Concerts

December 16 and 17.

By the Germania Maennerchor.

First Concert—Friday, December 16.

PROGRAMME.

Second Concert—Saturday, December 17.

PROGRAMME.

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REAL ESTATE WANTED.

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PERSONAL.

HELP WANTED—MALE.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

TO RENT—HOUSES.

TO RENT—ROOMS.

TO RENT—STORES, OFFICES, &C.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

MACHINERY.

PARTNERS WANTED.

MISCELLANEOUS.

BOARDING AND LODGING.

BOARD WANTED.

LOST AND FOUND.

WASHINGTON.

Proceedings in Congress Yesterday.

The Proposition to Restore the Arlington Estate to the Lee Family.

Exciting Debate on the McCreery Resolution.

The House Bill to Consolidate the Postal Laws Passed in the House.

General Pleasanton Nominated to the Senate as Internal Revenue Commissioner.

Estimate of Lands Granted to the Pacific Railroads.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

FORTY-FIRST CONGRESS.

SENATE.